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February 8, 2005

Mr. Robert A. Schroeder Chair, MN Environmental Quality Board 658 Cedar Street St. Paul. MN 55155

Re:

Notification of Incoming Application under Minnesota Rules 4400.2000

Cambridge Station, Isanti County, Minnesota

Dear Mr. Schroeder:

Great River Energy is hereby notifying you of our intent to submit a site permit application for the Cambridge Station located in Isanti County, Minnesota. We will be requesting that site permit be reviewed and issued under the alternate review process specified in Minnesota Rules 4400.2000 subpart 1.

Great River Energy proposes to install an approximately 170 MW combustion turbine at this facility, which currently holds an approximately 22 MW combustion turbine. The proposed combustion turbine will use natural gas as its only fuel source; and as such, the project qualifies for processing under the alternate process. This notification is required by Minnesota Rules 4400.2000 subpart 2.

Great River Energy expects that the site permit application will be submitted on or shortly before February 28, 2005.

If you have any questions about the project, please call me at 763-241-2491.

Sincerely,

GREAT RIVER ENERGY

Mark Strohfus

Environmental Project Leader

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